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PATENT APPLICATION

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

SIR:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application for:

one month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)).

Since Dec. 10, 2005 fell on a Saturday, the one-month extension for replying to the Office Action of Sept. 10, 2005 ends on Monday, Dec. 12, 2005.

Please charge Lucent Technologies Deposit Account No. 12-2325 in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the cost of the extension. In the event of non-payment or improper payment of a required fee, the Commissioner is authorized to charge or to credit Deposit Account No. 12-2325 as required to correct the error. Duplicate copies of this petition are enclosed.

Respectfully,

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